

For questions 1- 10, please select one response.

Note: If you are no longer teaching, please respond to these questions based on the last year you were teaching. If you are actively teaching, please answer based on the current school year.

1. What grade do you teach?

- ☐ Kindergarten
- ☐ First Grade
- ☐ Second Grade
- ☐ Third Grade
- ☐ Fourth Grade

2. At which kind of school do you teach?

- ☐ Public School
- ☐ Charter School
- ☐ Private School
- ☐ Other

3. How many teachers are in your classroom?

- ☐ One
- ☐ Two
- ☐ Three
- ☐ More than three

4. How many years have you been teaching?

- ☐ Less than one
- ☐ Between 1-2 years
- ☐ 2-5 years
- ☐ More than 5 years

5. Do children have an unlimited access to water? (i.e. are they allowed to go to the water fountain as many times as necessary and/or have a water bottle at their desk?)

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Only with a note from a parent/guardian
- ☐ Only with a doctor's note
- ☐ If other, please specify _____

6. During classroom learning time (not bathroom breaks), how many times is a child permitted to use the restroom?

- ☐ Zero times
- ☐ 1-2 times
- ☐ 3-4 times

- 5-6 times
- As many times as they need

7. Do you designate specific times of the day for restroom use?

- Yes
- No
- If yes, how many? _____

8. If a child requests to use the restroom not during the designated restroom use time, do you encourage him to wait?

- Always
- Usually
- About half the time
- Seldom
- Never

9. Do you have a reward or consequence program encouraging children not to use the restroom during class time?

- Yes
- No

10. use skip logic and if they answer yes they should be directed to a question that says: Your program for encouraging children to avoid restroom use during class time is

- reward-based
- consequence-based
- a combination of reward- and consequence-based

For questions 11-12, please select all that apply.

11. How do you handle a child who has urinary frequency (needs to go to the bathroom more than every hour)?

- More liberal privileges based on personal observations
- More liberal privileges only if student has a parent's note
- More liberal privileges only if student has a doctor's note
- Student gets disciplined
- Student is told to wait
- Student's parent is called
- Student is sent to principal's office
- Other, please specify

12. What behaviors, in any, occur in the restrooms in your school?

- Misbehavior
- Bullying
- Loitering to delay return to class
- Vandalizing
- Other

- ☐ If other, please specify _____
- ☐ None of these behaviors are a problem in the restrooms

For question 13, please select one response.

13. Is there any adult supervision in the restrooms?

- ☐ Always
- ☐ Usually
- ☐ About half the time
- ☐ Seldom
- ☐ Never
- ☐ Only during designated bathroom breaks
- ☐ If other, please specify _____

For questions 14, please select all that apply.

14. Please indicate if any of the following issues exist with the restrooms in your school:

- ☐ lack of bathroom proximity to classroom for easy access during class
- ☐ poorly maintained/unclean restrooms
- ☐ lack of privacy (no bathroom stall doors or no locks on stall doors)
- ☐ other, please specify _____

For question 15, please select one response.

15. During a typical month of teaching, how many urinary accidents do you witness in your classroom?

- ☐ Zero
- ☐ 1-3
- ☐ 4-6
- ☐ 7-10
- ☐ More than 10

For question 16, please select all that apply.

16. When you witness urinary accidents, which of the following do you do?

- ☐ Inform the parents
- ☐ Inform the school nurse/administrator
- ☐ Have child change clothes
- ☐ Send to the office
- ☐ Nothing
- ☐ If other, please specify _____

For question 17-18, please select one response.

17. Have you ever witnessed students having accidents of stool?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

18. (If yes, then skip logic to this question) During a typical month of teaching, how many stool accidents do you witness in your classroom?

- ☐ Zero
- ☐ 1-3
- ☐ 4-6
- ☐ 7-10
- ☐ More than 10

For question 19, please select all that apply.

19. (if yes to question 18 then they get this question) When you witness stool accidents, which of the following do you do?

- ☐ Inform the parents
- ☐ Inform the school nurse/administrator
- ☐ Have child change clothes
- ☐ Send to the office
- ☐ Nothing
- ☐ If other, please specify _____

For question 20-22, please select all that apply.

20. Children who have accidents of urine or stool during the school day experience:

- ☐ Teasing
- ☐ Being left out
- ☐ Other
- ☐ If other, please specify _____

21. Children who have accidents of urine or stool during the school day exhibit:

- ☐ Attention deficit
- ☐ Behavior issues
- ☐ Shame
- ☐ Anxiety
- ☐ Decreased academic performance
- ☐ Shyness
- ☐ Other
- ☐ If other, please specify _____

22. Have you received professional development or training on how to manage bladder (urinary) or bowel (stool) accidents?

- ☐ Never

- During undergraduate education training
- During graduate school education training
- In-school training

For question 23, please select one response.

23. Do you feel that you would benefit from more formal training about recognition and management of bladder and bowel classroom issues in children?

- Yes
- No

For question 24, please select all that apply.

24. (Use skip logic so that if they answer yes it jumps to this question) What would be the best way to receive this training?

- Online training tools
- Relevant reading and brochures
- Professional development during undergraduate or graduate training
- Professional development during Teach for America training
- Professional development on the subject within placement school
- Tutorials from the school nurse/other medical professional

For question 25, please select all that apply.

25. (If no, use skip logic again) Why do you feel that more formal training is not necessary?

- There are already too many things to worry about as a teacher
- This health issue not something that requires teacher involvement
- Often, kids with accidents do not have an underlying health problem
- If other, please specify _____

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